

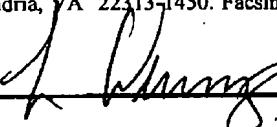
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In re Application of Cranna et al.) Confirmation No.: 4713
Serial No.: 09/695,951) Group Art Unit: 3724
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Title: Wood Cutting Band Saw Blade) Customer No.: 21832
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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Communication of September 12, 2007, please accept the following amendments and remarks. Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested in view of the remarks and support provided herewith.